

GIANTS MAY BE BOUGHT, WORD

Report Circulates in Miami as Day of Fight Classic Draws Near

By EDWARD J. NEIL, Associated Press Sports Writer, MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 23.—(AP)—Cooling breezes and an overcast sky, the answer to a gladiator's prayer in the southland, injected new life into the drills of Jack Sharkey and Young Stribling today, and probably kept doughy Bill Carey new guiding hand of Madison Square Garden corporation, from giving in entirely to the harassing disclosures of the day.

Now that the battle of the Everglades is just around the corner, with the fighters in perfect physical trim, unhampered by injuries, the arena built and the lighting system installed for the fracas Wednesday night, the even trend of events was broken by unofficial announcement here that the Garden corporation is arranging for the purchase of the New York Giants ball club by the National League and disclosure of a controversy over broadcasting of the coming heavyweight struggle. Carey feels, however, that publicity may spoil the giant deal.

SALEM DUCKS WIN OVER LEBANON FIVE

The Salem Ducks defeated the Lebanon town basketball team at the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday night, 39 to 23. Schwabauer and Batchelor were scoring stars for the Ducks and Robbins and Bogart for the visitors.

Hurdles Record Goes by Board

CHARLOTTEVILLE, Va., Feb. 23.—(AP)—Harry Filippen, University of Virginia, tonight broke the indoor world record for the 50-yard low hurdles with four flights by covering the distance in six seconds flat in the first heat. In the final heat he tied the world record of 6 1-5 seconds.

Cannery Expert To Speak Before Salem Chamber

William G. Allen, recognized as an expert in the cannery business, is to address the Salem chamber of commerce Monday on the subject, "Preservation of Fruit Products."

Big Sister



Goofey Movies

GOOFEY MOVIES PRESENT SIZZLING ICE PART THIRTEEN. SEVEN DAYS PASS... AND STILL NO SIGN OF BERT BLIZZARD'S RETURN... IT BEGINS TO LOOK AS IF DAN MCGREEN KILLED HIM. DO YOU SUPPOSE?



Huskies Come From Behind to Down Oregon State Hoop Team

SPORTS

EVENTS

Woodruff Leading Derby As Second Round Nears End; High Scores Made

JUNIOR league bowlers continued to dominate the Statesman derby last week. Woodruff of the General Petroleum team holding the lead with a 1991 total for nine games, Saturday night when the last compilation of scores was made for the day. More bowlers were to finish before the midnight deadline, and it was possible that some of these might supplant the leaders.

The second round of the derby saw many upsets, although Robbins of Fairmount Dairy, who finished in the lead in the first round, was still among the leaders, standing third with a score of 1942 in the latest reports. T. J. Brown of Valley Motor was second with 1972. Others who were in line for prizes, barring the chance that others might supplant them, were: Muller, C. C. Bedding Cubs, 1920; Allen, McKay Chevrolet, 1899; K. Barr, Barr Plumbers, 1872.

Race Warriors Down Of the 44 bowlers who entered the second round, 30 are represented in the announced standings, the others having failed to finish nine games up to the time that the standings were compiled. The list in addition to the seven leaders included: Donnelly, 1844; Hall, 1833; Snyder, 1800; Alken, 1791; C. Roth, 1774; Lyons, 1774; L. White, 1768; McKinney, 1758; Bedee, 1748; C. Martin, 1744; Allison, 1744; Kutch, 1730; Johns, 1726; Grote, 1713; Coe, 1700; Ford, 1692; Titus, 1687; M. Henn, 1687; Bassett, 1661; Walters, 1659; Monson, 1615; Haag, 1580.

Following are are present league standings:

City League	W.	L.	Pct.
Shel's Men's Wear	14	4	.778
Man's Shop	14	4	.778
Valley Motor	11	7	.612
C. C. Bedding Co.	6	12	.333
Elks	6	12	.333
O'Leary's	2	16	.113

Club League	W.	L.	Pct.
Lions	9	9	.500
Western Auto	8	4	.666
New Plumber	5	4	.558
Bel Mates	5	4	.558
Nelson Drugists	6	6	.500
Associated Oil	4	8	.333
Elks Club	2	7	.222

Commercial League	W.	L.	Pct.
C. C. Bedding Cubs	11	1	.918
Bar Plumbers	8	4	.666
Valley Motor	7	5	.583
New Statesman	3	3	.500
Contemporary Ward	3	6	.333
Both Grocery	3	6	.333
Stiff Furniture	3	6	.333

Bankers' League	W.	L.	Pct.
Western Paper	9	3	.750
Canitol Theatre	8	4	.667
Ladd and Bush	5	4	.556
Headquarters 249th	2	10	.175

Pasadena Girl is Discus Champion

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—(AP)—Lillian Copeland, of the Pasadena athletic and country club, today set a new American record for the women's discus throw, tossing the platter 117 feet, 3 inches, to feature the annual A. U. U. regatta at the Coliseum here. She bettered her own record by one foot.

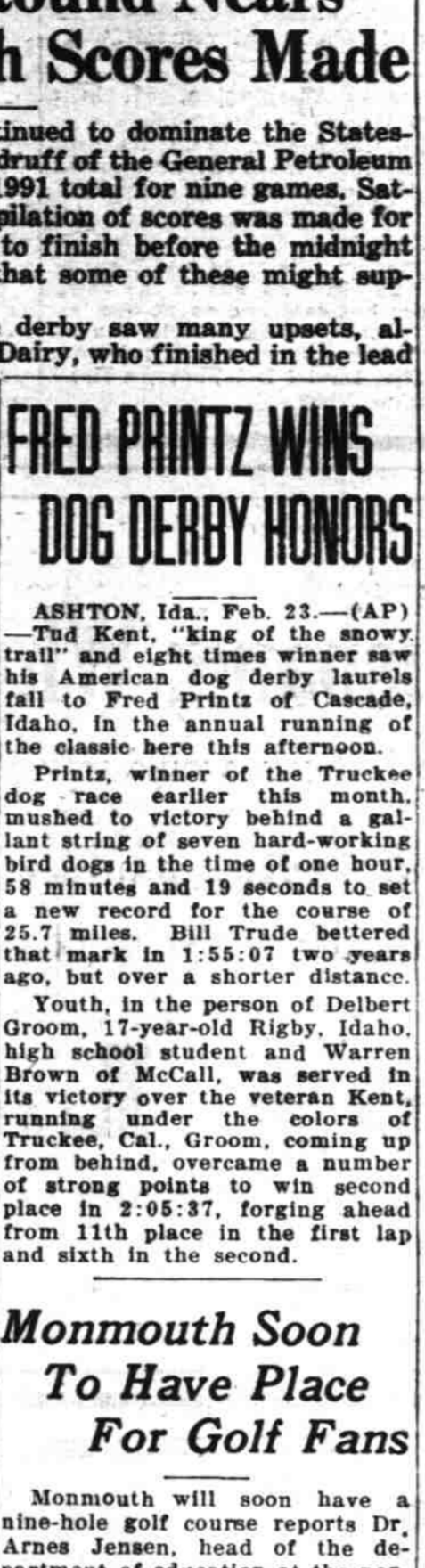
Berry Grower is Suing Firm Here

H. S. Gile and company was sued for an accounting by J. P. Ellis in circuit court here Saturday. Ellis alleges that the company contracted for all his loganberries in 1923, and that he delivered 1550 pounds of berries. The company took them and made juice of them and sold the juice, he charges, but has never made any payment to him.

Matchmaker is Worried; If Fox Beats Pelz, Who Will be Next Opponent?

Supposing that Teddy Fox beats a fight, Benny Pelz Wednesday night at the armory, what is Matchmaker Harry Plant going to do then, poor thing, as the rhymersters say? If Pelz cannot halt Fox in his march toward the upper ranks of the 127 pounders, there isn't anybody in Portland or elsewhere in Oregon that can turn the trick. There won't even be any point in bringing any of the boys here to fight Fox, because it wouldn't be a fight. The last fight that Pelz had was against Billy Townsend, Canadian lightweight champion, at Vancouver, and while Townsend was given a decision, it wouldn't have hurt anybody to call it a draw. So if Pelz doesn't take Fox's measure, there is nothing left for Plant to do but get in touch with Biddy Bishop at Seattle and match the long geared local scrapper with some of the tough boys fighting around the sound.

FANS, MEET BENNY



Monmouth Soon To Have Place For Golf Fans

Monmouth will soon have a nine-hole golf course reports Dr. Arnes Jensen, head of the department of education at the normal.

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NURMI BARRED FROM TRACKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—(AP)—Paavo Nurmi of Finland failed to appear for his schedule start at the two-mile steeplechase event at the national indoor track and field championships at Madison Square Garden tonight and was immediately disqualified for further competition in this country by the A. A. U. registration committee.

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